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Dear State Attorney General:

Please consider a more stringent prosecution of MicroSoft corporation, that is, in my opinion, stifling the computing industries of which I am a professional. As MicroSoft continues to get its way, we're already twenty years behind.

I am a computer systems administrator with a BS degree in computer science and seen over the last ten years the same findings of fact determined against the company by the DOJ. There is very little punishment of these crimes to speak of; in fact it's almost a reward to the monopolist and sets a most disturbing precedent. After Realplayer, Java, MP3, and PC Anywhere go the way of Netscape and Apple, where shall they turn for justice? What happens to our privacy when we cannot escape spam, telemarketers, and door-to-door salespeople who buy data collected from MicroSoft Windows XP activations. Or worse yet, cannot access information on the Internet at all because each site requires .dll compatibility or is choked by viruses. If MicroSoft continues to monopolize, we'll all be paying taxes to them, obeying its rule of law, and suffering intellectual dysfunction at their hands!

Sincerely,

Kevin D. Hall

PS I voted for, and support our president but disagree with the effort that dismissed the case against MicroSoft. Please continue your pursuit of justice!